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SUBJ: CONSULAR OFFICER'S TESTIMONY IN COURT

REF: TOKYO 12766, SECSTATE 218910

BECAUSE OF DIFFICULTY IN FINDING DATES AGREEABLE TO RICHARDSON,  
COURT, AND DEFENDANTS, TESTIMONY NOT TO BE GIVEN UNTIL NOVEMBER 25  
IN COURTROOM. WE HAVE TOLD PROSECUTOR THAT RICHARDSON WILL NOT  
DISCUSS CLASSIFIED MATERIAL. THIS WOULD PRESUMABLY ARISE ONLY  
IF DEFENSE ASKED IF CLASSIFIED MATERIALS WERE ON PRINCIPAL  
OFFICER'S DESK, WHICH THEY WERE NOT. WE HAVE FURTHER INFORMED  
THEM THAT RICHARDSON WILL NOT SPECULATE ON MOTIVES OF  
ATTACKERS AND WILL CONFINE TESTIMONY TO FACTS HE PERSONALLY AWARE

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OF THIS IS AGREEABLE TO PROSECUTION AND THEY STILL STRONGLY  
DESIRE APPEARANCE IN COURT.

FUKUOKA WILL PROVIDE CABLED REPORT OF NOVEMBER 25 COURT SESSION  
IN AS MUCH DETAIL AS SEEMS USEFUL.

RICHARDSON

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